

H. C. Barleigh Papers

Hennery

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There is only one person by name of Hennessey showing in this area in the 1793 census. He is :

DAVID HENNESSEY - Duplin County  
1 male over 16  
2 females

Deed Book L, p.103, Duplin County, N.C.

27 June 1793

David Hennessey of Duplin County to Abraham Newton... consideration of 20 lbs... land on drains of Goff's beaver dam swamp.

Test: John T Brown

John T Fovell

Duplin Deed Book L, p.492, Duplin County, N.C.

1796

David Hennessey to William Fryer, 60 acres on Beaverdam Swamp, part of a patent of 200 acres to Frederick Walle in 1782.

This is all that I can find on the Hennessey family. The latter group, Allen, David, Sarah and Mary, seem too young to be classified as anything but grandchildren or great grandchildren of the first David Hennessey.

As to Richard Hennessey, his first record is 1761 when he witnessed a deed for John Hennessey. His second record is ~~1762~~ 1765 when he was made a constable and Defaulted. His third record is 1768 when Allen Sloan called him son-in-law.

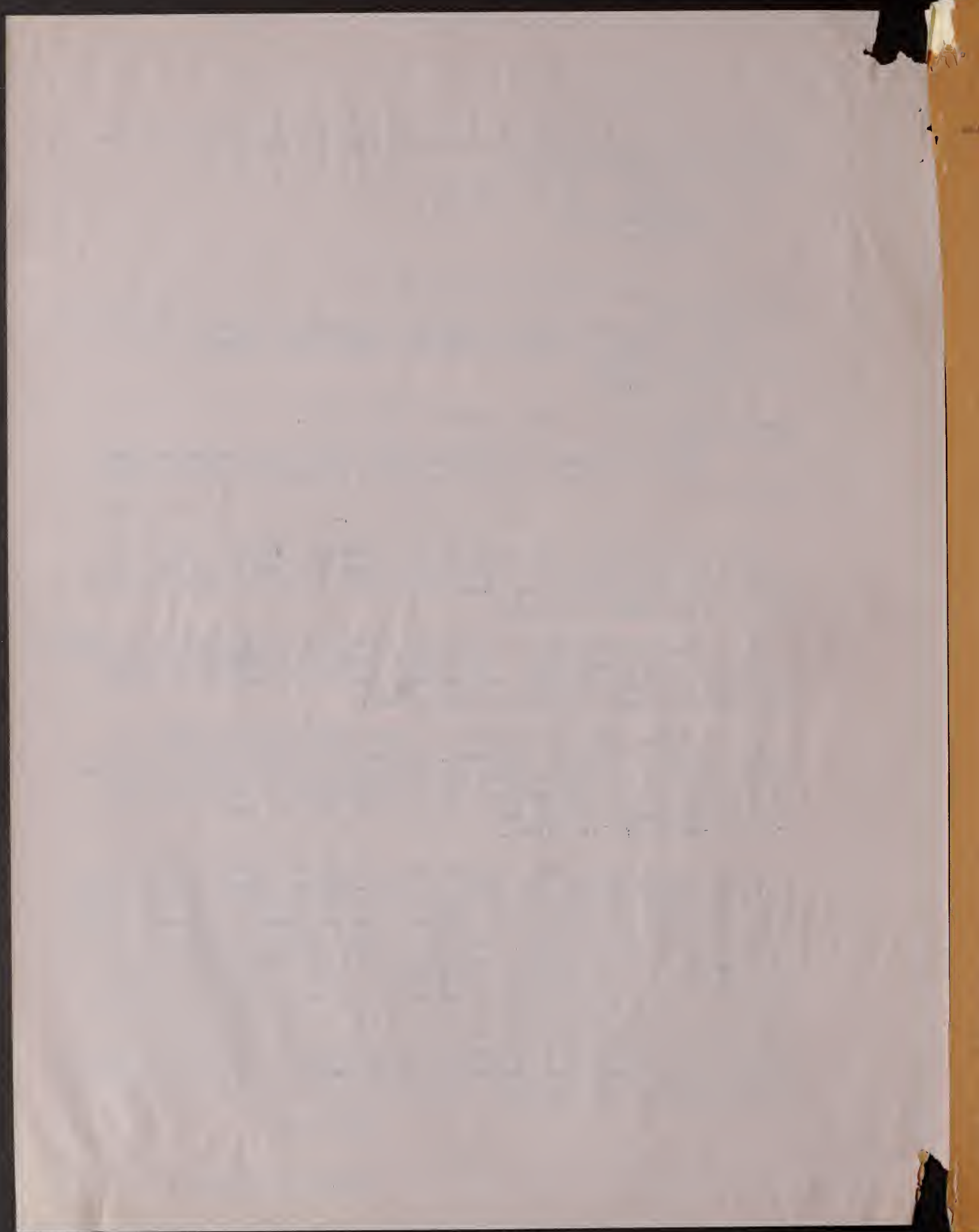
In the Sloan family research we have found nothing more on Sarah, wife of Richard Hennessey. Mr. Leslie H. Brown agrees with me that Sarah must have died and Richard left this area. At least we know that he disappeared. There is nothing to show that he ever owned land. There was no land left him in the will of his father-in-law Allen Sloan.

I have not been able to find any record of James Hennessey selling James Rogers 300 acres of land. Maybe things were getting so unpleasant for them that they just left before the deeds were recorded. But I'm willing to accept the statement of James Rogers that he did buy the land, and that he did marry the mother of ~~the~~ <sup>these</sup> ~~children~~ <sup>children</sup> here. Have you found the will of James Rogers anywhere? He might have left further information when he made his will. Would you mind giving us the names of the children of Richard Hennessey as you have them? I would like to have it for the files of the historical society. We would like to know what became of many early settlers. I sincerely hope this will help. We know Richard and James disappeared here and that not too long afterwards they appear in your records. I believe your tradition is correct.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Sam J. Collins





TOWN CLERK OFFICE  
MANCHESTER, VERMONT

May 31, 1959

PHONE 377

HELEN B. BUCKLOW

170 Main Street  
Manchester, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter received today, I find the following in the Manchester Land Records.

1. Deed dated Sept. 21, 1832, 100 Acres Lot 40, being the same lot laid out to Isaac Newbourn, original grantor. Brief description is given, and exact general location is shown. The deed also states that it is not to be taken as a warranty of title.

2. Deed dated page 104  
dated to Henry, dated 9, 1841.  
This deed is a part of Isaac Newbourn's land, and is a warranty of title. It is a part of the same land as the first deed, and is a warranty of title.

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HENNESSY FAMILY  
in  
NEW HANOVER COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

FIRST GENERATION

Record Book D, p. 122

25 May, 1754

soldier in his Majesty's army.

I, JOHN HENNESSY, do appoint Joseph Fortvint and James Moore my attorneys to collect and receive from the estate of Thomas Moore, deceased, money, etc... for use of the children of said Thomas Moore, deceased. The wife of said Thomas Moore dec'd is now the wife of said John Hennessy.

Attest John Simpson

David Hennessy

Record Book D, p. 256

Will of JOHN HENNESSY, carpenter of New Hanover County. Dated Nov. 28, 1754

(No probate date shown, but from it is believed  
two records, both probated 1756.)

Bequeathed-

To my sons John and James Hennessy my land and tools and horses.

Wherein appared to the children of brother DAVID HENNESSY.

To brother DAVID HENNESSY, horses, etc.

To sister Margaret Hennessy, wife of David, a mare.

To said Mary Hennessy, one shilling.

To wife Catherine Hennessy, one shilling.

To brother DAVID HENNESSY some due on account of Mr. Hicks.

Attest Brother David Hennessy and William Robinson

Witnesses: William Robinson, John Simpson, James Farrell.

Record Book D of New Hanover County

2 June 1761

John Hennessy chosen for Black River District in place of  
DAVID HENNESSY, deceased.

So is the first generation we have- Two brothers, namely-

1. JOHN HENNESSY, married the widow of Thomas Moore, prior to 1754.  
He died about 1756 and had wife, ~~Catherine~~ Catherine.

2. DAVID HENNESSY, called brother by John, was dead in 1761 and was  
living in 1756 when his brother John made his will. His wife  
was named Margaret, and he had some called nephews by John.

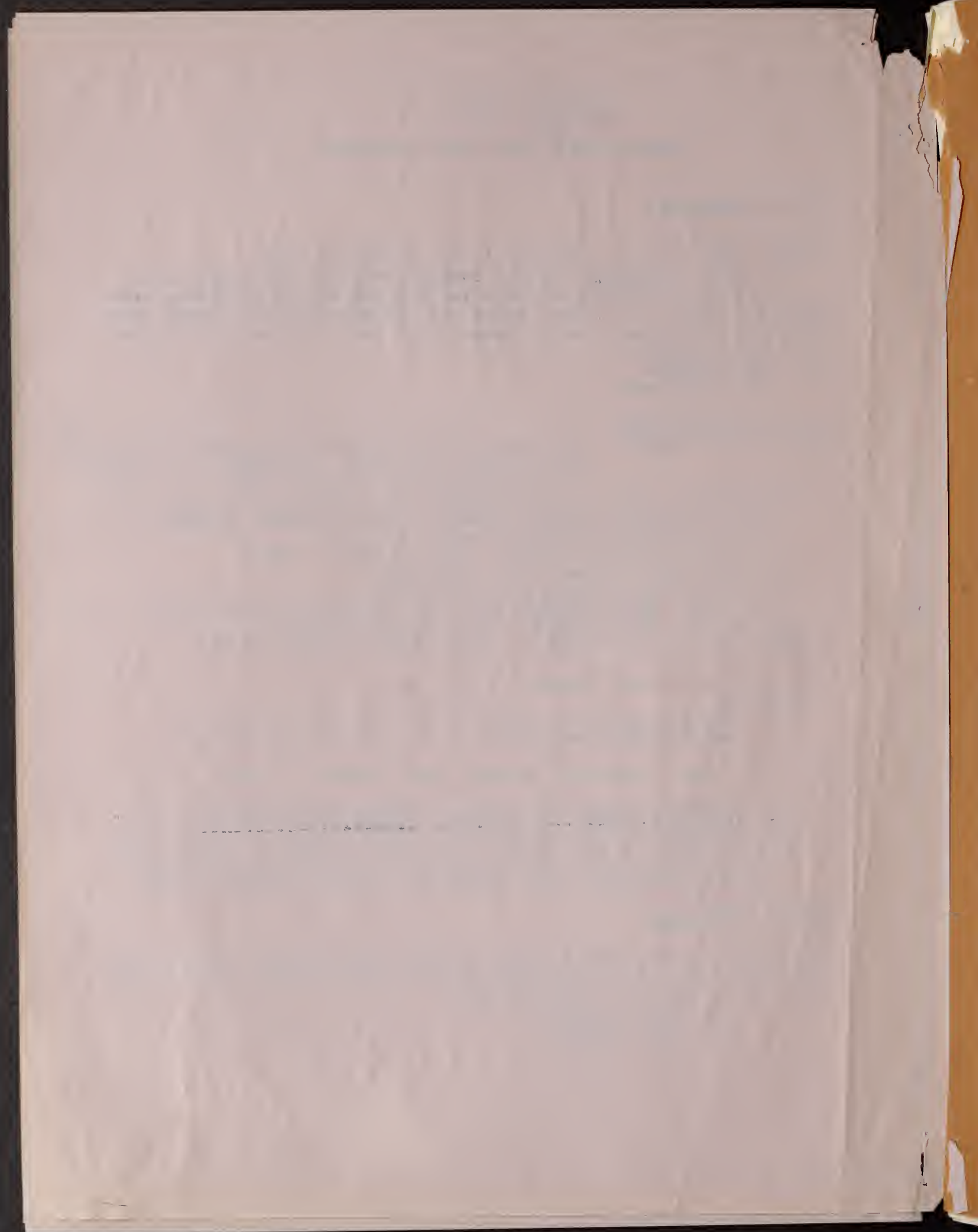
SECOND GENERATION

Said John Hennessy left no sons as shown in his will, but spoke of  
his nephews and of the children of his brother David, the following  
list must be sons of David Hennessy:

a. Richard Hennessy

b. John Hennessy

c. James Hennessy





...Richard Kennedy, married prior to August 1768, Sarah, daughter of Allen Bloom, who died his will 8/7/1768 and named his daughter Sarah Kennedy and his son-in-law Richard Kennedy. (Will Book C.p.380, New Hanover County, N.C.)

On March 10, 1763 James Farrel and wife Ann, because writing and for consideration of 25 lbs., sold John Kennedy 100 acres as per patent to James Farrel dated 10/13/1761. Witnessed by Caleb Grayson and RICHARD KENNEDY (Deed Book E.p.71).

New Hanover County Court Minutes

7 March 1765

RICHARD KENNEDY chosen Constable for Upper Part of Black River District.

3 June 1765

Defaulting Constables... RICHARD KENNEDY

There is no record available for RICHARD KENNEDY after August 7, 1768. It looks possible that his wife Sarah Bloom may have died and he evidently left New Hanover County. It looks possible that he left a son in New Hanover County, for on Feb. 18, 1789, Allen Kennedy of New Hanover County sold Stephen Williamson 100 acres of land in White Oak Swamp for consideration of \$75. (Deed Book L-2, p.746).

...John Kennedy was left land by his uncle, JOHN KENNEDY, with his brother James. On Dec. 28, 1773 JOHN KENNEDY sold Catherine Fulton 1/2 of a plantation on Moore's Creek as per patent dated 1753. His wife was Sarah as shown in a deed to Rachel Kennedy on Oct. 2, 1766, 100 acres of land. His wife Sarah signed with him. (Deed Book E, p.171)

New Hanover County Court Minutes

6 Sept. 1764

An appeal to this Court of George Moore, Esq., and others, JAMES KENNEDY, JAMES ROGERS and JOHN KENNEDY, from a judgment entered against them by Alexander Duncan, Esq., for failure to appear and vote at the last election of vestrymen held; sufficient cause was shown and judgment was reversed.

March Term, 1765

JOHN KENNEDY, Juror

JOHN KENNEDY appointed Searcher for Black River.

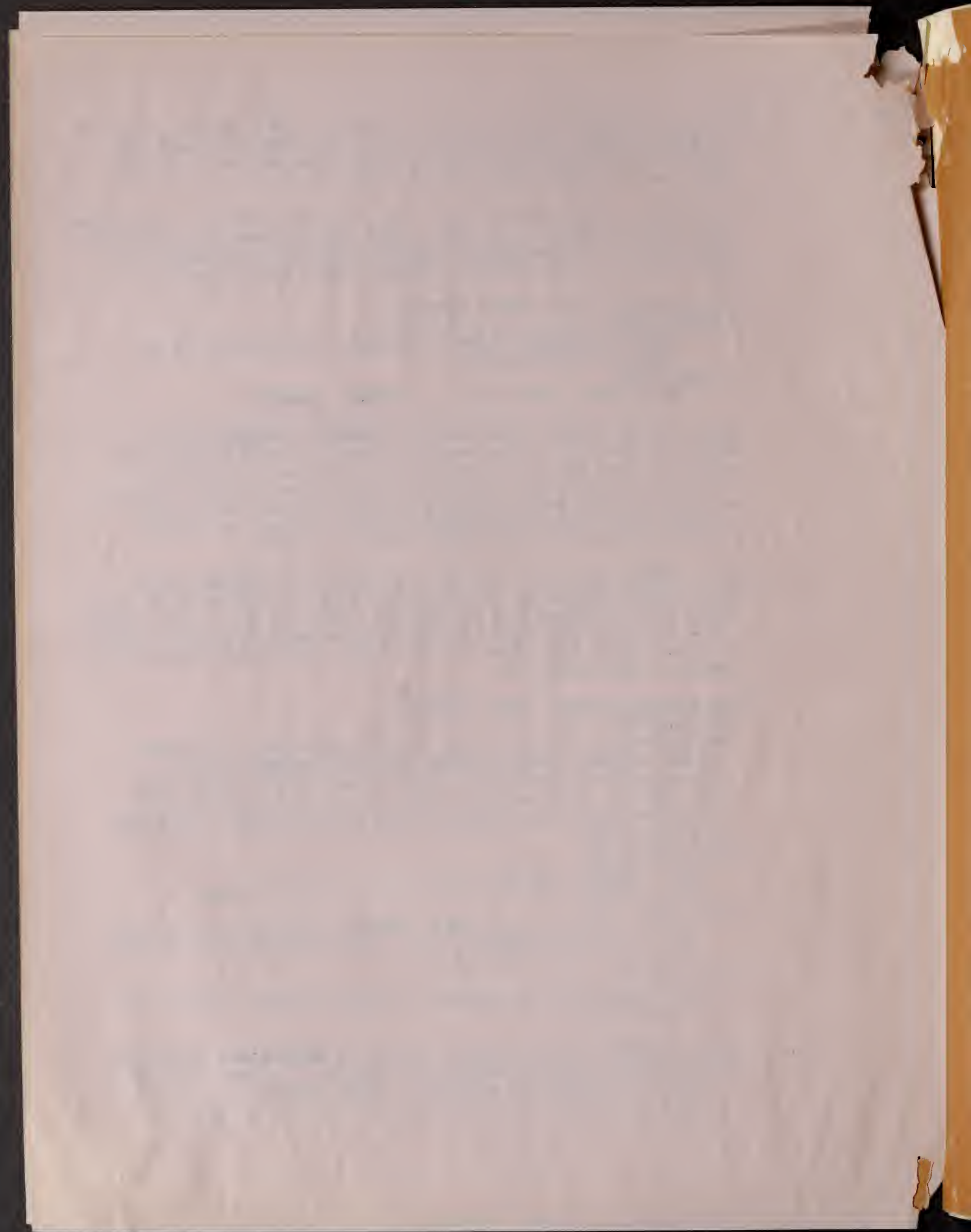
July Term, 1765

All the children of JAMES KENNEDY acknowledged standing with the JURY. KENNEDY in the suits brought against him by Campbell and others...

4 Dec. 1765

of Campbell and M. Watkins vs John Kennedy. Verdict for Plaintiff.

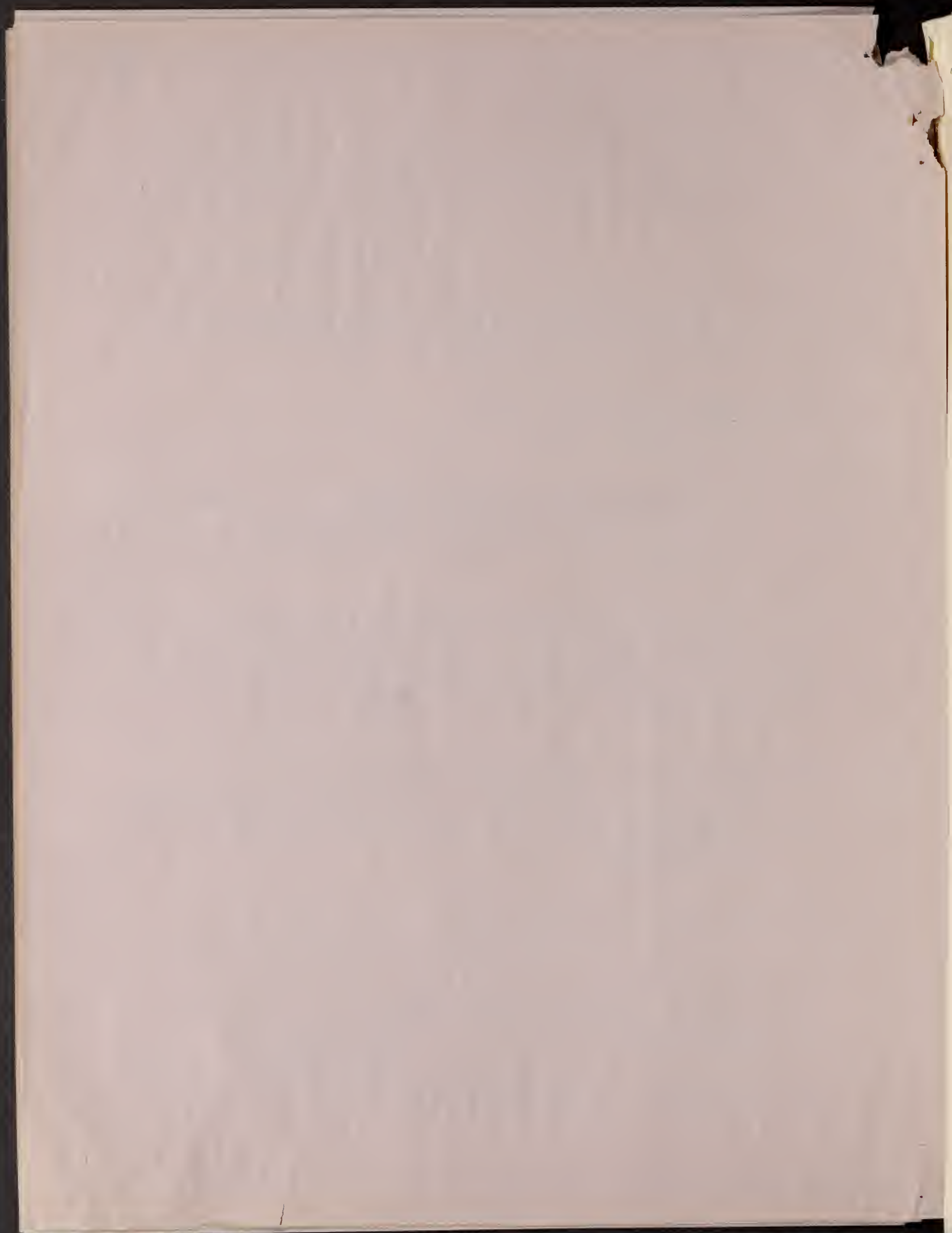
...JAMES KENNEDY of New Hanover County to Catherine Fulton 100 acres on West side of Moore's Creek, it being 1/2 of the plantation granted to John Kennedy by patent dated 2/1/1753. (See deed above from John Kennedy to











Children of Richard Hennessey and Sarah Henricks:

- I. Betsy, born 1804, Murray census 1806; died before Murray Census 1814
- II. William, born before 1812, possibly 1808/9
- III. Daniel, born 1812.
- IV. Phebe, " 1816
- V. John, " 1817
- VI. Amarilla " 1820
- VII. Isaac " 1822
- VIII. Anna " 1824
- IX. Jacob " 1829.

- I. Betsy, born 1804, re. Murray Census 1806; died before Murray Census 1814.
- II. William, no doubt the next child born, around 1808/9; married Martha Hazard, a sister of Daniel Hennessey's wife named Eliza Hazzard.
- III. Daniel Hennessey, born 1812, died 1900, married Eliza Hazzard; buried in Friend Cemetery, west of Wooler, Ont.
- IV. Phoebe Hennessey, born 1816, married Stephen Hamlin.
- V. John Hennessey, born 1817, died 1899; married Anna Bleecker, buried in Mount Zion Cemetery, Murray Township.
- VI. Amarilla Hennessey, born 1820, died 1872; married Rev. Sheldon Young of Murray Twp; both buried in the Carrying Place Cemetery.
- VII. Isaac Hennessey, born 1822, died 1898; married Chloe Sharp, buried in Wessell's Cemetery, near Wooler, Ont.
- VIII. Anna Hennessey, born probably 1824; married Wilnot Gerow; she died between 1854 and 1861.
- IX. Jacob Hennessey, born 1829, died 1912; married Helen Grandall, buried at Kenora, Ontario.

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- I. Betsy - born 1804, died before 1814.
- II. William Hennessey could probably be the next child born. On the Murray Census of 1814 it gives 2 males under the age of 16 years and Daniel was born 1812. It would appear a long space of time between the birth of Betsy 1802 and Daniel, who was born 1812. It is possible, but not probable, so I am placing William as the oldest of the family. He married Martha Hazzard and by her had the following children (dates of death and burial places not known:

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|-----------------------------|------------|
| 1. Phoebe Hennessey,        | born 1836. |
| 2. Sheldon Hawley Hennessey | born 1838. |
| 3. Sarah Hennessey          | born 1840. |
| 4. Richard Hennessey        | born 1844. |







XII.

1. Phoebe Hennessey, born 1836, married Francis L. McGuire, born Ireland 1822/3; a farmer of Murray Township, Northumberland County, Ont.

Issue

- a. Ann McGuire born 1854
  - b. Ellen McGuire born 1856
  - c. William McGuire born 1858.
2. Sheldon Hawley Hennessey, born May 22, 1838, died Feb. 5, 1916. Married Charlotte Wood of Murray Township, born May 15, 1843, died June 1, 1920; died at their daughter's home, Mrs. A. Rannard in Winnipeg, Man. Both buried in Winnipeg.

From Roy E. Hegel, of Fort William, Ontario.

"Sheldon Hennessey, wife and two daughters, Laura and Minnie, came to Port Arthur about 1882-1883 by boat. My dad, Chas. C. Hegel married Laura in 1884. Sheldon Hennessey left Port Arthur for Rainy River in 1894, and was on land owned by Jacob Hennessey of Rat Portage (now Kenora). Later Sheldon took land on ground next to Uncle Jake's. He lived there till the fall of 1915, when he took sick. A.B. Rannard came and took him to Winnipeg where he died Feb. 5th, 1916. He is buried in Winnipeg. His wife Charlotte also was taken to Winnipeg, and lived some times with my Aunt Minnie, or with my mother here. She died June 1st, 1920 in Winnipeg, aged 77 years and buried beside Sheldon. She was born May 15th, 1843. Sheldon was born Sheldon Hawley Hennessey, May 22nd, 1838. These dates are on the tombstone in Winnipeg."

Issue

- i. Laura E. Hennessey, born Trenton, Ontario, June 25, 1865. Married 1884 Charles Clark Hegel, born Morrisburg, Ont., Mar. 3, 1856; he died Feb. 19, 1938, and wife died Jan. 26, 1945. Both buried in Fort William.

Issue

(born Trenton, Ont. May 19, 1886/  
Roy Elbridge Hegel (married Alice Olive Ward, born Dec. 20  
William Hegel; as yet no records. (1885 on farm near  
Brampton)

- ii. Minnie Blanche Hennessey, born June 22, 1870, in Trenton, Ontario; married Sept. 1895 Andrew B. Rannard, born July 30, 1870, Boston, Lincolnshire, England. She died in Pasadena, California, Nov. 30, 1949; and he also in Pasadena Dec. 1956. Both buried in Glendale, California.

Issue

Harry H. Rannard, born Feb. 11, 1898, in Winnipeg, Man., married Leila M. McGree, born May 26, 1900 in Crystal City, Man. Reside South Laguna, Calif., P.O. Box 7. Nellie - no records.

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO  
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TO THE EDITOR:  
I am writing to you to inform you of the results of my research on the properties of the new material which I have discovered.

The results of my research are as follows:

1. The new material is a solid, colorless, and odorless substance. It is soluble in water and in many organic solvents. It has a melting point of 100°C and a boiling point of 200°C. It is stable in air and in water.

2. The new material is a good conductor of electricity. It has a resistivity of 10<sup>-3</sup> ohm-cm at room temperature. It is a good conductor of heat. It has a thermal conductivity of 10<sup>-2</sup> cal/cm-c-sec at room temperature.

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SARAH HENNESSEY, daughter of William Hennessey and wife Martha Hazzard, born 1841, Murray Township, Northumberland County, Ontario; married Oct. 22, 1860 Duncan MacPherson who was born in Scotland 1839. Married by the Rev. John Alexander in Percy. Witnesses were John MacPherson and Phoebe Hennessey.

Children.

1. Margaret Ann, born Sept. 8, 1862.
2. Emma Blanche, born May 7, 1865.
3. Jessie Catherine, born June 12, 1868.
4. Peter William, born Jan. 22, 1871.
5. Phoebe Eleanor, born Sept. 9, 1873.
6. Walter James, born May 22, 1876.
7. Henry Richard, born Jan. 1, 1879.
8. Edna Pearl, born Apr. 4, 1881.
9. Lizzie May, born April 13, 1886.

Margaret Ann, Emma Blanche and Jessie Catherine married. Walter James married also but died shortly after from T.B. The remainder never married: they died young from T.B.

1. Margaret Ann MacPherson, married Oct. 7, 1885 Wallace Kemp. They had two children; a son, died young; Olive, married Harry Christie and they had a daughter Mary Christie.
2. Emma Blanche MacPherson; married John Weatherhead Jan. 31, 1884. She died Jan. 15, 1891. They had two children:  
A son, died young.  
A daughter, name not known. Was reared by her grandmother Weatherhead who was an R.C. and the girl was educated in a convent.
3. Jessie Catherine, born June 12, 1868, married Nov. 9, 1889 Wesley Gilmore Graham of Murray Twp.; following children:
  - (a) John Earl, born Aug. 26, 1890; died young.
  - (b) Claude Vincent, born March 9, 1892; lives in Trenton, Ont. married Corinne Weller; has 5 children:
    - Robert
    - Claude, Jr.
    - Harold
    - Douglas
    - Gordon
  - (c) Ernest Walter, druggist, lives in Toronto; married Flora MacDonald, 3 girls:
    - Mary, Margaret, Elizabeth.
  - (d) Howard, lawyer, then General of the Canadian Army; lived first in Trenton, then Ottawa, now Oakville, Ontario. Married Jean Lova; one child - Peter.
  - (e) Edith Margaret, married Lloyd York, address 158 Byron Street, Trenton; two children
    - Catherine, born Dec. 18, 1940.
    - John, born May 16, 1944.
  - (f) Bruce Gilmore, married Elaine Foster of Trenton, Ontario, three girls:
    - Dorothy
    - Judith
    - Laurie

(End of Graham Line)

RICHARD HENNESSEY, born 1844, died 1922, married MARGARET - born 1846, died 1931. No issue. Buried "Friends Cemetery", Wooler, Ontario



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II. Ada Maud Hamlin, b. June 19, 1907; d. Mar. 19, 1921.

III. William Stephen Hamlin, b. July 20, 1907; married Marie Sanderson.  
6 children:

- (a) William Stephen Jr., b. Dec. 2, 1933; married; has 2 children.
- (b) Ronald Jarkon, b. Feb. 2, 1935, married
- (c) Darlene Ann, b. Mar. 18, 1936; married Robert Margon,  
March 4, 1960.
- (d) Grace Louise, b. June 24, 1937, married Larry Wright,  
2 children.
- (e) Charles Paul, b. Sept. 4, 1938.
- (f) Donna Marie, b. Oct. 13, 1942.

IV. Nelson Washington Hamlin, b. Nov. 15, 1912, married Beatrice  
Marsh, 4 children.

- (a) James Milton, born Aug. 25, 1935, married Aug. 25, 1956,  
Joan Cowan, 2 children - Christine, Craig Thomas.

V. Milton Henry Hamlin, b. Oct. 15, 1915, d. June 18, 1928.

VI. Ethel Lucille Hamlin, b. Nov. 11, 1917, married Bernard Cater,  
1940; 3 children:

- Joanne Ruth, b. Apr. 4, 1941
- Richard Harry, b. Nov. 6, 1942
- Larry James, b. Mar. 3, 1948.

VII. Paul Addison Hamlin, b. Jan. 21, 1920, married Jean McCarthy,  
Aug. 16, 1948. She died 1949. Married again Eugenia Afanonsiv,  
Nov. 1952; 2 children:

- Vera Grac, b. Jan. 12, 1956
- Natalia Ann, b. Apr. 21, 1958.
- Paul is a Major in the U.S. Air Force.

VIII. Daniel Richard Hamlin, b. July 19, 1922; married Heather Whyte,  
one son David.

IX. Jack Preston Hamlin, b. Mar. 19, 1924; married Ethelyn Dela-  
hanty Aug. 9, 1947. Two children,  
Barbara Lee, born Dec. 11, 1948  
Barilyn Jean, born Feb. 21, 1952.

X. Hester Melissa Hamlin, b. Apr. 27, 1926, married Harry Kimball,  
had 2 daughters, died in infancy. Adopted a son Paul. Melissa  
died Sept. 28, 1958.

XI. Marilyn Ruth Hamlin, b. Sept. 24, 1928, married Arthur Beedham  
Aug. 20, 1949. Three children:

- John
- Susanne
- James.







3. (Phoebe)

D. Walter Addison Hamlin, b. Apr. 20, 1883; married Mabel Gillespie  
Sept. 25, 1908 at Brockport, N.Y. Died Jan. 20, 1918. One son:  
Gordon, born Nov. 19, 1909. He married Lillian Lead, Dec. 10, 1945;  
No children; address 72 Standish Road, Rochester, N.Y.

3. Richard Hamlin, born 1846; no records.

4. Daniel B. Hamlin, born 1849; no records.

5. Sarah Ann Hamlin, born 1854; married Arnold Dorland; had a store in  
Wooler, Ont. No issue; he probably died 1909.

End of Hamlin Line.

Dominion Census 1871.

Hamlin, Phoebe, age 56 years, widow, born Ontario.  
Hamlin, Sarah Ann, age 16 years.





VI. Amarilla Hennessey, born 1820, married Rev. Sheldon Young, son of Stephen Young and Lucy Marsh, daughter of Matthais Marsh and Sarah Richardson, of Manchester, Vermont; marriage bonds Sept. 19, 1840. She died Dec. 21, 1872. He married again Miss Webster. He died Feb. 26, 1884, in the City of Belleville where he had retired. He was born Oct. 1, 1819, 2 miles West of Trenton, Murray Township. Buried in the Carrying Place Cemetery.

Issue.

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|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. James (James) Albert | born Sept. 19, 1842. |
| 2. William Edmund       | born Oct. 2, 1844.   |
| 3. Amarilla Rosetta     | born Jan. 18, 1846.  |
| 4. Annie Priscilla      | born Aug. 8, 1848.   |
| 5. Sarah Adelaide       | born Apr. 14, 1851.  |
| 6. Francis Phoebe Eliza | born June 8, 1853.   |
| 7. Sheldon              | born 1855.           |
| 8. Jessie Victoria      | born Nov. 11, 1858.  |
| 9. Mary Elizabeth       | born Mar. 18, 1862.  |
| 10. John Baldwin        | born Dec. 6, 1865.   |

Most of Rev. Sheldon Young's Pastorages (he belonged to the Episcopal Methodist Church) White's Church, front of Sidney Twp.; Frankford, Stirling, Odessa, Shannonville, Athens, Elgin, Elizabethtown, Madoc, Demorestville, Morven, Melville, where Amarilla died; and finally Foxboro, 1877-79. Retired to Belleville on North Street, Died suddenly in his cutter while proceeding down to the city proper.

Children's children.

1. James Albert Young; married Delia Leavitt, settled Toronto; had one daughter Nina, who married Mr. Sanderson; had one son Bert who married a sister of Julia Arthurs, the actress; had two daughters. He died young due to a ruptured appendix.
2. William Edmund Young, married Mrs. Cornelius - had  
Annie -  
Delia - married Jos. Matthews, lives in Toronto.  
Wm., Jr. - killed overseas in First World War, 1916.
3. Amarilla Rosetta Young, married Albert Leavitt, M.D. Had a child Sheldon Leavitt, who settled in California.
4. Annie Priscilla Young, married first William Ransom. Second Benjamin Ball of Rock Island, Quebec, where she died and is buried. Had one child Nellie Ransom, who married William Ball, a younger brother of Benjamin. Was a bank manager in Winnipeg where he died. They had one child Ransom Ball, who was killed in the first battle overseas in 1915. After Mr. Ball's death some years later she married -Vere Brown of Winnipeg, later removing to New York City. After his death she removed to a home they had at Rock Island, Quebec. She died 1954. She and V. Brown are buried in Rock Island Cemetery, Quebec.
5. Sarah Adelaide Young, married George Faulkner, M.D., of Stirling, Ont. Had 2 children; she died giving birth to a third child which also died at birth. Buried Stirling Cemetery.
  - a. James Albert Faulkner, B.A., M.D., born Oct. 1, 1878. Married 1907 Helen Vermilyea; was member of Ontario Legislature when Hepburn was first elected. Was Minister of Health. Defeated





2. (Amarilla)

in second election. He practiced in Foxboro from 1905 to 1918, when he removed to Belleville. He was a noted surgeon in the Belleville General Hospital.

Issue

George Faulkner, M.D., of McGill, died  
Elizabeth Faulkner, not married.  
Farley Faulkner, lives in Toronto  
Albert Faulkner, killed in accident.

- b. Minerva (Min) Faulkner, married James Potts, M.D., settled Stirling, Ont. She was born Nov. 11, 1879. He died 1932. She died 1944. Both buried in Stirling Cemetery. They had one child;

Edward (Ned) Potts, B.Sc., McGill University, 1932.  
Married Virginia Ray of New York City. He has been with since he graduated and was first sent out to Calcutta, India, then Elizabethtown, South Africa, back to Calcutta and now a Vice-President of the Company in New York. He lives in Greenwich, Conn., has one adopted child Cathy.

6. Frances Phoebe Eliza Young, married Edmund Roblin. He owned a gent's furnishing store in Picton. Sold out and moved to Toronto, where he died. Later she married David Percy, lived at 49 Rusholme Park Crescent, Toronto. She and Edmund Roblin are buried in the Picton Cemetery.

Issue

Ernest Roblin, born 1877, married first Cornie Welbanks of Picton, Ont., daughter of Capt. Welbanks of Picton. They had 3 daughters:  
Marjorie - died young  
Helen  
Jean.

later he married Bessie Reid, a widow of Winnipeg. They finally settled in Toronto where they both died and are buried there.

7. Sheldon Young - died age 5 years.

8. Jessie Victoria Young - married Prof. Albert Bannister of Albert College, Belleville, Ont., then headmaster of a boys' college in Richmond, Quebec. They then removed to Pasadena, Calif., where they died. Had two girls:

Annie Bannister - never married.  
Florence Bannister - married Guy Helderman of Pasadena, Calif. Had 2 boys.

9. Mary Elizabeth Young, born 1862, married 1878 Arthur Demorest of Foxboro, Ontario. Farmer in Sidney Township. They later removed to Hughton, Sask. where he had and farmed 1600 acres of land. He died at the farm Dec. 31, 1923. Mary E. Demorest died 1939 in Belleville at her daughter's home. Both buried in Foxboro Cemetery.



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#### Issue

- a. John Sheldon Demorest, born May 4, 1880.
- b. Sidmer James Demorest, born Jan. 19, 1883.
- c. Annie Lenore Demorest, born Mar. 17, 1887.

- a. John Sheldon Demorest, born May 4, 1880, Lot 38, Concession 5, Twp. of Sidney, Hastings County, Ontario, Post Office Foxboro. Attended Foxboro Public School, Belleville High School; Belleville Business College; Albert College of Belleville, Ont., Graduated Manitoba Medical College, Winnipeg, 1914. Served one year as interne in Winnipeg General Hospital. Married Nov. 15, 1915, Helene Elizabeth Holden of Winnipeg, born March 28, 1893, daughter of William Samuel Holden and his wife Ellen Hornby. Practiced one year in Hughton, Sask., two years in Rosetown, Sask., ten years in Bashaw, Alta., ten years in Stirling, Ont., and since Jan. 1942 in home village of Foxboro. Member Stirling Lodge A.F. & A.M. No. 69, G.R.E. (G.R.C.) P.M. Fidelity Lodge No. 76, A.F. & A.M. Bashaw, Alta. The first and only person from Canada to join The Holland Society of New York.

#### Issue

- 1. Helene Mary Fidelia Demorest (known as Marie), born Oct. 2, 1916, in Hughton, Sask. Graduated from Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, B.A. 1936. Married May 12, 1941, Toronto, Sgt. Reginald Emerson Wall, R.C.A.F. of Midland, Ontario.

#### Issue

- i. Toni Demorest Wall, born Dec. 30, 1944. Since 1946 she has been living with her mother's parents, now in Foxboro as her mother divorced her husband.
- b. Sidmer James Demorest, born Jan. 19, 1883; married Lena Vance of Picton, Ont. March 7, 1907. Settled on a farm north of Hughton, Sask. His wife went over to United States and divorced him. He died Sept. 30, 1950 in Belleville Hospital.

#### Issue

- 1. Arthur James Demorest, born Dec. 17, 1907, married Minnie and had the following children:
  - i. Wilma
  - ii. Vona
  - iii. Shirley
  - iv. John Sidmer Clyde.

- c. Annie Lenore Demorest, born Mar. 17, 1887; married March 28, 1906 John Longwell of Foxboro, Ontario.

#### Issue

- 1. Harold MacLaren Longwell, born Feb. 22, 1907, married Edith Henderson June 15, 1927. Child: Harold lives in Marlbank, Ont., General Store.
  - i. Ruth born March 22, 1928.
- 2. Vona Margaret Longwell, born Sept. 5, 1909, married Sept. 5, 1936 Raymond Broadworth; live in Lindsay, Ont. Child:
  - i. Judith.
- 3. Mary A. Longwell (known as Molly), born Dec. 6, 1913; married Sept. 14, 1935 Albert Bodwell, live in Oshawa, Ontario. Child:
  - i. Cheryl.



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VII. Isaac Hennessey, born Murray Township, Northumberland County, Ont., 1821-22. Married Mar. 9, 1867 Chloe Sharp, born 1840. She died Oct. 30, 1884. He died Jan. 9, 1898. Both were buried in Wessell's Cemetery, near Wooler, Ont. On tombstone it was: born 1822, died 1900. Chloe (Sharp) Hennessey was 44 years, 1 month and 21 days old when she died.

Issue.

1. Louise Hennessey, born Aug. 4, 1868, Wooler, Ont., married Charles Mainprize Sept. 1896. They removed to Midland, Michigan to farm. She died Dec. 9, 1953. They had three children:

- a. Harry - now dead. Was married; had several children.
- b. Roy, lives in Coleman, Midland Co., has a family, now many not known. He was divorced and married again.
- c. Mabel, married to Henry Huber. No date. Children:
  - i. Marjorie - married; had 3 children, 2 living.
  - ii. Dexter - married, 5 children, all living.

2. James Hennessey, born Wooler, June 22, 1872; removed to Rat Portage, now Kenora, married, his wife died. No issue. Married 2nd time in Winnipeg, Man., Flora Gustana Johnson. Ran the Ontario Hotel several years, then removed to Congress, Sask., ran a store and post-office. Sold out and removed to Port Alberni, B.C. where he died April 15, 1945, and buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Port Alberni, B.C. His wife was born March 27, 1884, Oslo, Norway. She died March 28, 1949, and also buried in Greenwood Cemetery.

Issue.

- a. Kathleen Johnson, born Jan. 18, 1911, Winnipeg.
- b. Ralph Cameron, born Nov. 14, 1913, Winnipeg.
- c. Marjerie, born April 17, 1916, Winnipeg. \*
- d. Maxwell, born Nov. 16, 1916, Expanse, Sask.
- e. Arthur MacDonald, born Dec. 21, 1918, Congress, Sask.
- f. Mildred Theresa, born Oct. 8, 1921, Congress, Sask.
- g. Dorothy Louise, born June 14, 1926, Congress, Sask.

\* Marjerie was an adopted child.

- a. Kathleen Johnson Hennessey, born Jan. 18, 1911, in Winnipeg, Manitoba. Married Nov. 14, 1943, George Leslie Cowley. He died May, 1959. Buried in Saskatoon. She lives in Milliers, B.C. Has 2 adopted children:
  - i. Bruce Thomas Cowley.
  - ii. Phyllis Ada Cowley.

- b. Ralph Cameron Hennessey, born Nov. 14, 1913, in Winnipeg, Man. Married Olena Mollberg. They live in Harve, Montana, 322 $\frac{1}{2}$ -3rd Ave. and have 2 children:
  - i. Naomi, born 1938
  - ii. Michael, born 1949.



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- c. Marjorie Hennessey, born April 17, 1916 (adopted); married William John Wallace Hodgins, D.D.S., born July 22, 1911, at Shawville, Quebec at Shawville, Que. July 22, 1949, on his and his mother's birthday. They met while both were serving in the Army overseas. They have 5 children; they live in Shawville:
- i. Thora Lynne, born May 8, 1950
  - ii. John Lee, born May 22, 1952.
  - iii. Patricia Marlene, born Oct. 29, 1954.
  - iv. Peter Wallace Hennessey, born July 29, 1956.
  - v. William Stephen D'Arcy, born Mar. 2, 1958.
- d. Maxwell Hennessey, born Nov. 16, 1916, at Expanse, Sask. Married a widow Marjorie Hatley, maiden name Kyle. He was killed in a lumber camp in January, 1947. He is buried in Port Alberni, B.C. Had 4 children:
- i. Shirley, born 1942
  - ii. Donald, born 1943
  - iii. Thomas, born 1945
  - iv. Ricki, born 1947.
- e. Arthur MacDonald Hennessey, born Dec. 21, 1918, in Congress, Sask. He was killed in the Battle at Ortona, Italy, Dec. 10, 1943. He was not married.
- f. Mildred Theresa Hennessey, was born Oct. 8, 1921, at Congress, Sask. Married June 23, 1950 William Phelp, born Jan. 25, 1915, Nanaimo, B.C. They live at 615 Angus Street, Port Alberni, B.C. Had 2 children:
- i. Ardis Larame - died, buried Greenwood Cemetery.
  - ii. Coy Stevan Philip.
- g. Dorothy Louise Hennessey, born June 14, 1926, at Congress, Sask. Married Mar. 23, 1946 James Francis Hanna, born May 13, 1922, Port Alberni, B.C., Three children:
- i. Heather Jean Hanna.
  - ii. Vickie Maureen Hanna.
  - iii. Brian Eugene Hanna.
3. Flora Hennessey, born Jan. 27, 1881, Wooler, Ont. Married F.A. MacDonald Dec. 22, 1903 at *KENORA ONT* He was born June 13, 1876, died May 17, 1935 and is buried *FRASER CEM., NEW WESTMINSTER B.C.* Flora lives in New Westminster, 238-7th Ave. Issue.
- a. Gerald MacDonald, born Aug. 26, 1916, married Dorothy Zral March 22, 1946. Lives at Davis Bay, near Sechelt, B.C. Children.
- i. Lee, born Aug. 30, 1947.
  - ii. Barry, born Dec. 12, 1949.





VIII. ANNA HENNESSEY, born around 1824; married Wilmot Gerow, born 1825. She died after 1858 and before 1861; lived near Wooller, Ont.

Issue.

(a) Phoebe Eliza Gerow, born 1850, married Richard Lake of Stirling, Ont. Had:

1. Anna, lived in California.
2. Ida, married Daniel Smith
3. Frankie, married; no issue
4. Harry, unmarried (?)
5. Richard, unmarried (?)

(b) Henrietta or Etta Gerow, born 1852; married George Valentine;

Issue

1. Anna Valentine, married Bidwell Smith, brother of Nellie Smith; Bidwell died. She lives in Assiniboia, Sask.
2. Allen Wilmot Valentine, born 1878, married Nellie Smith, sister of Bidwell Smith. He died Mar. 22, 1911; buried Friend Cemetery, Wooller, Ont.

(c) Agnes Emma Gerow, born 1854, unmarried.

(d) Allan Wilmot Gerow, born 1855, no records.

(e) Sarah Ann Gerow, born 1858; died young.

IX. JACOB HENRICKS HENNESSEY, born Murray Township, Northumberland County, Ont., Aug. 15, 1829; settled at Rat Portage, now named Kenora, Ontario. Married Helen Crandall, born Vermont, U.S.A. He died Nov. 12, 1912. Both he and his wife are buried in Kenora Cemetery.

Issue

- (a) Flora Hennessey
- (b) Hattie Hennessey

a. Flora Hennessey, born in Kenora, married R.J. Arbuthnot, a brother of Sir John Arbuthnot, a well-known lumberman at the coast. R.J. Arbuthnot and his wife lived in Winnipeg, Man. His wife died there and he removed to Vancouver, B.C. where he died. They had four children who now live in California.

1. Robert
2. John
3. Orval) No further records.
4. Lyle ) twins.

b. Hattie Hennessey, born in Kenora, 1870; married 1888 W.C. Cameron in Kenora. They had seven children:

1. W.G. Cameron, Kenora, married and has 2 daughters.
2. J.H. Cameron, no children, deceased.
3. Helen Cameron, Mrs. Chas. Erginzer, 149 Elm St., Winnipeg. no children.
4. Sadie Cameron, Mrs. C.W. Gordon, Ottawa; a daughter.
5. Maxwell Yorston Cameron, married Jessie Alexandrina McLeod in Kenora June 3, 1933. She was born Jan. 29, 1901. Children:  
William McLeod Cameron, M.D., born Mar. 29, 1935.  
Maxwell Ian Cameron, born July 4, 1938.  
Donald Bruce Cameron, born July 13, 1940.
6. Douglas Cameron, lives in Kenora.
7. Ashmore Cameron, died as a baby.

(No further records received)



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No 4

From: Mrs. Flora Anne Hennessey MacDonald  
238 - 7th Avenue  
New Westminster, B.C.

daughter of Isaac Hennessey & Chloe Sharp

-to-

John Sheldon Demorest,  
Foxboro, Ontario.  
-Hennessey Genealogist  
1960.

"Will try and give an outline as best I can re. Uncle Jake's family. Two daughters, Mattie Henesey married W.G. Cameron in Kenora.

They had seven children:

W.G. Cameron, Cameron Camps, Golf Course Bay, Kenora. They had 2 daughters (no information).

J.H. Cameron, no children, now dead.

Helen Cameron, (Mrs. Chas. Erzinger, 149 Elm St., Winnipeg at present)

Sadie Cameron, (Mrs. C.W. Gordon, Ottawa, address not known).

Max Cameron, Kenora, Ont.

Doug Cameron, Kenora I think.

Ashmore Cameron, died as a baby.

Mrs. Arbuthnot, married in Kenora (or Rat Portage) to R.J. Arbuthnot.

Had four boys, Bobbie, Johnnie, Orval & Lyle (twins.)

If you write Mrs. Chas. Erzinger she can give you more complete information on this.

I am glad you got the data on my parents Tom & S.I.

Flora Annie Henesey MacDonald was born in Wooler, Jan. 27, 1881.

I left Wooler to go and live with my Uncle Jake Henesey at Rat Portage, when nine years old. I met my husband in Kenora, Ont. (C.P.R. ticket agent). I was married Dec. 22, 1903 in Kenora. Lived there 7 years and moved to a town called Expanse, Sask., near Moose Jaw and lived there fourteen years. We were in the general store business there.

In 1925 we moved to New Westminster where my husband worked again for the C.P.R. for ten years.

He passed away 1935 in New Westminster and is buried in Fraser Cemetery, New Westminster. My hubby's name was Andrew Sweeney MacDonald.

We had one son only - Gerald Henesey MacDonald, born Aug. 26th, 1916, in New Westminster, at present living at Wilson Creek (or Doris Bay-same), B.C. He runs a Standard Oil agency there. He was married March 22, 1946, to Dorothy Grae of Vancouver. They have two children:

Leila Annie MacDonald, born August 30, 1947;

Barry Ross MacDonald, born Dec. 12, 1949.







I never lived in Winnipeg.

W.G. Cameron was Scotch and came from Truro, N.S. I lived part time with Mrs. W.G. Cameron as I was handy to mind the children (2) about 10 years old. Mr. W.G. Cameron worked for the C.P.R. for some years and then went into the wholesale grocery business. He did very well in the wholesale grocery business. They had about 5 wholesale branches at one time.

Uncle Jake was engaged in mining for many years. He also had a retail liquor store in the early days. He also travelled with Barnum's Circus as a young man. I don't know what he did. He was also in some sort of accident and lost his left leg below the knee. He wore a peg-leg all the rest of his life. He was quite a sport. He loved cribbage. He liked his glass too. He had a farm on Rainy River at one time and brought my dad out from Wooller and put him on the farm. He was back and forth for a time as I can remember. Then Jim built a home and brought my dad out. We three lived together and I went to school. Previous to this when I was 15 I went back east and my sister was married (Louise to Chas. Mainprize). They left the farm in Michigan and I remained home for over a year and went to school. Then Jim had me go back to Kenora. (This is when he built and brought my dad out). Dad soon got restless and wanted to go to my sister in Michigan, which he did and died there. In meantime Uncle Jake's wife "Aunt Nell" died so Jim and I went and lived with him. Jim was working in the Post Office. I quit school and had a job in the Post Office too in General Delivery where I worked until I was married in 1903.

The people Jim took you to meet in Winnipeg who had the shoe store were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rannard. Mrs. Rannard was Minnie Henesey, a daughter of Shell Henesey (wherever he comes in). There was another daughter of Shell H., Mrs. Chas. Hegel. They lived in Kenora at one time and then moved to Fort William. The Rannards had 2 children: Stella and Harry. They live in California-address not known now. The Hegels had 2 sons. Guess they live in Fort William still. We just gradually lose track of the different ones. My aunts and uncles on my mother's side I guess are all gone.

It seems almost impossible to send a proper or complete record of all our relatives. I do hope this will be a bit more help for you. You surely are having a lot of patience but as you say you are enjoying doing it.

It was real refreshing to get your letter. I sure love all my relatives. There is a Jim Henesey (Brother of Howard) here and we often visit (about a second cousin I guess). We feel very close. He has a lovely wife. They have a ~~daughter~~ daughter married and they have two children. A son died quite young. It sure would be swell to see you, Mr. Demorest. Seems like you must be in good health to undertake what you are doing. I am glad you are getting so much pleasure out of it. I trust you will be spared some years yet to enjoy life. I am in fairly good health for my years. I get around pretty well. This is a lovely country here, so many nice places to go. Flu is quite prevalent out here this winter. I have had it and was quite sick for a few days. The effects seem to hang on so long. Well I better conclude this letter or you will be getting weary of it. It has worried me a bit as I felt I could not do justice to the information you wanted. God Bless you Sheldon. I trust you know Jesus as your personal Saviour. It's the only life and I couldn't get along without it and it is so necessary. Salvation is of God and not of ourselves. Thank you for writing.

Lovingly

"Flora MacDonald" "



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149 Elm Street  
Winnipeg 9, Manitoba.

April 7th, 1960.

Dear Dr. Demarest:

Your letter was a nice surprise, and of much interest to me. I made some inquiries and have some information for you.

My first call was to Val Rannard. He said Minnie Hennessy was the mother of his cousin Harry, who now lives in California 31 - 151 Camothers, P.O. Box 07, South Laguna, Cal. He is sending your address to Harry so no doubt you two will soon be in touch with one another.

As a child I remember taking a cruise up to Rainy River and calling at a farm belonging to Shell Hennessy, I think. I remembered the incident, no doubt, because I was terrified of the turkey gobblers!

My next move was to lunch with a Mrs. Devine, who nursed my dear mother, for two years before she passed on. She lived in Prince Albert and knew the Hennessy connections there. A Mrs. J.B. Smith, a relative, is going to visit a Cora Valentine in Brighton, Ont. this Easter. I think she expects to arrive about the 11th of April (perhaps you know them). However, if not, it should be a good chance for you to contact her. When I attended St. Margaret's College in Toronto, a Danny Smith and his wife called on me and said they both were first cousins of my mother. He had retired in Prince Albert and bought a home in Port Dover, Ont. These Smiths are all related.

Other relatives who called on me in Toronto were the Roblins. I don't know the initials - but I remember they lived on College St. near the General Hospital. They had a Miss Lake with them. She was some connection too, I think. The Winnipeg Roblins were also, Sir Richmond Roblin. His grandson is now our Premier, so you could easily contact him - Duff Roblin, Kingsway, Winnipeg 9.

A Mrs. Flora Hagel of Ft. William was a connection of the Rannards and of the Roblins too, I think. I only remember she had a son Percy Hagel. Perhaps both are still in Ft. William. Flora Macdonald would know them. Mother also mentioned a Mrs. Minnie Sampson of Minneapolis who visited the family in Kenora before I was old enough to remember.

My brother Max Maxwell Yorston Cameron, who lives in Kenora, is going East in May to one of his son's graduation - in medicine. I think, if it is possible, it would be nice if the family - Max, his wife Jessie, and his three sons could call on you. One son is at McGill, one at Queen's and one at Varsity. They are a lovely family. You would enjoy them. I have given Max your address and his is Mr. M.Y. Cameron, 2 - 7th St. South, Kenora, Ont.

He could collect his data and deliver it to you in person, I hope. However that remains to be seen.

Mother's mother was either Helen or Ellen Crandall, I think, from Fond du Lac, Franklin County, Wis., U.S.A. I don't know if mother was born there, but I think likely. She lived in Duluth before she came to Kenora. Father came from Pictou, N.S. - lived in Truro, N.S. My sister Sadie was called after Sadie Yorston who married Senator Stanfield and Max was called after the Yorstons. Details could no doubt be had from the Stanfield or Yorston families in those parts. Max can look up some records in Kenora, and perhaps can garner some information from the few friends of mothers, still living. There are very few now.

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I was born in Kenora but neither my sister nor I were registered at birth. The family doctor either Dr. Scovil or Currie failed to register us, as he did with the four boys. My sister Sadie, Mrs. C.W. Gordon, lives in Ottawa on Hawthorne Road, R.R. 6, Ottawa, Ont. I have written to tell her of your letter and have given her your address. She has one daughter and granddaughter living in Ottawa also. Owing to the snow situation and help she is selling her house this April or May and hopes to buy a small house in the centre of the city, but you can write to her in the next few weeks to the above address. She has a son, married, and daughter married, living in Connecticut.

All of the Cameron children were born in Kenora - and I shall have Max make a list of them, with dates of births and marriages - grandmother and granddad were buried in Kenora, as were mother and dad.

I married Charles Salisbury Erzinger of Winnipeg August 4th, 1929. His father was from Switzerland Schaffhausen and his mother Mary Elizabeth Riddle was from Grimsby, England. They were married in Winnipeg Sept. 8th, 1891. Charles was born in Winnipeg Dec. 30th 1896. I was born in Rat Portage, 1897 - I think. Mr. John Erzinger, Charles' father died here in 1930. Mrs. Erzinger is still living at 93 years of age. Well and active - I live with her. My husband has been hospitalized for six and a half years - he took a cerebral hemorrhage in the hospital and has not spoken or been able to move or be out of bed since. He is well though; reads the daily papers, listens to news commentators, football games and a few baseball games, but he does not get out of the ward, comes home in an ambulance with orderly for a Xmas visit of four or five days. He needs constant care and treatment so we cannot keep him longer.

Re-reading your letter. You mention Jim Hennessy. I think Mrs. J.B. Smith would know something about their history. They lived in the West near Prince Albert. Flora Macdonald was his sister and both were brought up by grandmother Hennessy. Does Flora not know her parents' names? Jim died long ago, I think. Flora knows that date and knows that family connection. Oh, grandfather's name was Jacob Hendricks Hennessy - my mother's sister Flora married a John Arbuthnot, who lived in Winnipeg and moved to Vancouver when his wife died many years ago. She had four boys (one set twins). The Arbuthnots were in the lumber business. His brother was Sir John Arbuthnot, a well known lumberman at the coast - ~~Arbuthnot~~ dead many years, (both of them, also wives). Boys living in California.

I shall write again if I find any further information. What I have given is somewhat vague but it might give you some leads. I am so glad you wrote to me. I am interested in relations.

Sincerely

"Helen Erzinger"







Kenora, Ont.  
2 - 7th St. S.,  
April 10, 1960.

Dear Dr. Demorest

Yesterday I received a letter from my sister Helen enclosing your very interesting letter regarding your hobby. I have often wondered if we might have any relatives in Canada on the Hennessey side of our family. I hope your findings will eventually be available to us. Strange to say, Jacob Hendricks Henesy appears on my grandfather's tomb and I never really learned whether this was an error in spelling or if it was genuine. At the front of the family Bible is a gift page stating that The Bible was presented to Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Cameron by J.H. Henesy. It is my father's handwriting. Jacob Hendricks Henesy was born (birthplace unknown) Aug. 15th, 1829 and died Nov. 27th, 1912 - in Kenora. Unfortunately, there's nothing relating to marriages, births & etc. in the Bible. It happens to be a very large book with many illustrations and was loaned to the Knoke Church to be displayed on the occasion of their 50th anniversary of the building of the present church. While there the book apparently fell and some portions were loosened. The particular section which recorded marriages and births, etc. disappeared. I never did hear where grandfather, Jacob Henesy, was born.

Apparently, he was a tremendous character in the community of Rat Portage. I remember him as having a Van Dyck moustache and a wooden leg (peg). His leg being taken off at the knee. Well do I remember calling on him almost daily where he batched and always had 4 or 5 men sitting around playing cribbage or cards with the smoke so heavy that it was hard to see when coming in from outside. He would always shove a nickel in my hand and send me on my way. He was a real Irishman, could argue black was white but also had the respect of all that knew him. He was known to everyone as "Uncle Jake."

My eldest brother, William George, is North at his tourist camp and we expect him home on the 15th. I'm sure he will have some information for us which I will send on to you.

It just happens that Jessie, my wife, and I will be going East the latter part of May to be at my oldest son's graduation at Queens - Medical Doctor. I see by the map that Boxborough is just North of Belleville and it is just possible that we will take the opportunity of saying hello to you when we are on our way through to Kingston to see Wm. McLeod Cameron. Incidentally, my second boy is at Toronto University in his second year taking Honour English. At present he is hoping to become a teacher. My 3rd boy is in 1st year Commerce and Finance (Business Administration) at McGill. I am sincerely proud of all three of them and I believe you would be also, were you to see them and knowing that they had strains of good Hennessey blood in them.

The past 6 years have seen practically the last of the old-timers disappear. Up till then there were several from whom we might have gotten some information but at the present there isn't anyone in Kenora that I can recall to whom we could go to. Mother originally arrived in Kenora (and Uncle Jake and his wife) before the railroad came through. Mother was born in Fond du lac, Wisconsin and the family moved to Winnipeg when she was quite young. They left her there at St. Mary's Academy and proceeded on to Rat Portage. Mother eventually came to Rat Portage by stage coach during the winter arriving here about 1879 or thereabouts. She was 18 when married in 1888, so must have been born in 1870. I presume my sister Helen (who we call Nell) has given you this information.

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As soon as the snow goes I will go out to the cemetery and get what statistics there may be out there. Sorry I can't give you more now but I'm sure brother Bill will help us. You will be hearing from me.

Wishing you continued good health.

I am, Sincerely,

"Maxwell Yorston Cameron"

P.S. My boys are

William McLeod Cameron	born March 29th 1935
Maxwell Ian Cameron	born July 4th 1938
Donald Bruce Cameron	born July 13th 1940.

I married Jessie Alexandrina McLeod born Jan. 29, 1901.  
We were married in Kenora June 3rd, 1933.



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in the year 1911. The Commission has been  
appointed to study the subject and to report  
thereon to the Legislature at its next session.

Very respectfully,  
The Commission

Charles H. Johnson, Chairman

Very truly yours,

JOHN H. JOHNSON, Chairman	WILLIAM H. JOHNSON, Secretary
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P.O. Box 7, South Laguna,  
California,  
April 26th, 1960.

J. Sheldon Demorest, M.D.,  
Foxboro, Ontario,  
Canada.

Dear Dr. Demorest:

Thank you for your recent letter concerning the Hennessy family. I will try to give you all the information I can. However I am sure Roy Hegel (my cousin) in Fort William can give you much more data than can I.

My mother was Minnie Blanche Hennessy. Her father was Sheldon Hennessy but I cannot remember her mother's Christian name. The other daughter of Sheldon was Laura Hennessy, my aunt, who married Charles Hegel. They had two sons, William and Roy, but I do not recall Percy Hegel although I do remember such a name in the genealogy sometime or somewhere along the line years ago.

My suggestion would be to write Roy Hegel, 230 No. Harold in Ft. William, as I truly believe he could impart more information than I have been able to give you, especially on their side of the family. I have given you all the information I can about the Hennessy family. You might be interested to know that my mother passed away in November 30th 1949 at the age of 79 and who was one of the sweetest and dearest mothers God ever created.

It was very nice hearing from you and I sincerely trust you may be able to gather more information about the Hennessys than I have given you. The very best of luck and good health to you.

Yours very sincerely,

"Harry H. Rannard"



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249 East Francis Street,  
Fort William - Ont.  
May 12th 1960.

Mr. J. Sheldon Demorest,  
Foxboro, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Received your letter of May 2nd on 5th and will try to help you.

My grandfather Sheldon Hennessey was married to Charlotte Wood. Her sister was married to John Crews, who had a farm outside Trenton, Ont. Some of the family reside in Trenton or near it now, I think.

That is all I can tell you of my grandmother. Sheldon Hennessey, wife and two daughters, Laura and Minnie, came to Port Arthur about 1882 or 1883 by boat. My Dad, Chas. C. Hegel married Laura in 1884. Sheldon Hennessey left Port Arthur for Rainy River in 1894 and was on land owned by Jake or Jacob Hennessey of Rat Portage (now Kenora). Later Sheldon took land on ground next to Uncle Jakes. He lived there till fall of 1915 when he took sick. A.B. Rannard, Harry's father and Minnie's husband took him to Winnipeg where he died Feb. 5th 1916. He is buried in Winnipeg.

I cannot tell you where Charlotte Wood - Sheldon's wife, was born but it must have been some where near Trenton. She was taken to Winnipeg and lived some times with my Aunt Minn or with my mother here. She died June 1st 1920 in Winnipeg, age 77 years and buried with Sheldon. She was born May 15th 1843. Sheldon was born Sheldon Hawley May 22nd 1838. These dates are on tombstone in Winnipeg.

You mentioned Howard Hennessey. I have not heard of him yet.

I have filled in part of form. Hope I have answered most of your questions. If you want more information, I am ~~afraid~~ afraid you will have to get it near Trenton.

Yours sincerely,

"Roy E. Hegel"



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Anna Bleeker (John R<sup>2</sup> b. 1787; John R<sup>1</sup> & Catharine Meyers) mar.  
John Hennessey; set. Murray.

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Rev. Sheldon Young (Stephen 1) mar. Amabilia Hennessey; set.  
Belleville. Children: (b. abt 1830)

1. James A.
  2. Amabilia
  3. William
  4. Sarah
  5. Anna
  6. Frank
  7. Victoria
  8. Mary (Elizabeth)
  9. Baldwin
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Amey Weeks (Solomon 2, Samuel 1) mar. Sidney Hennessey;  
set. Ameliasburg

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George<sup>2</sup> Welbanks (Thomas 1 & Mrs LaRue) mar Susan Hennessey;  
set. South Marysburg. He drowned in 1821.

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James Dilmore (David, U.E.) mar. Elizabeth Hennessey; set.  
oc. 20.2.1816 dep. 15.2.1789 United States. bp. 15.1.1795 (Ameliasburg)

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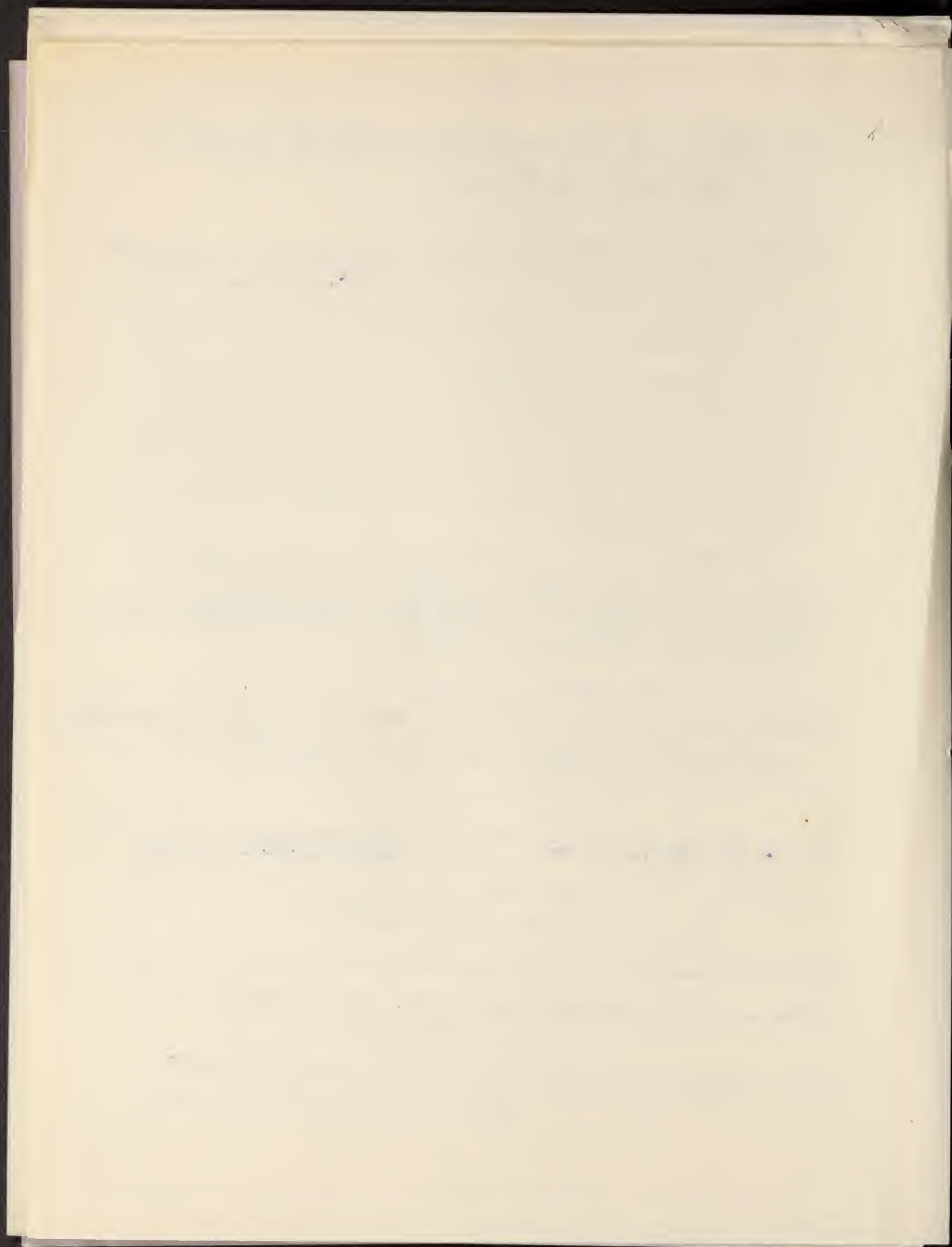
### Sherwood Account Book.

James Hennessey account from 20 Jan 1795 to 20 Feb 1796

William Hennessey account from 19 Dec. 1802 to 8 Jan 1803  
4 Jan 1800 " "

John Hennessey account dated 23 Feb 1804, a credit  
from 27 Feb 1804 to May 1806





Hennessey

(Simmons)

Hennessey. James = Christine<sup>Sidney</sup> -- Sarah bp 6.16.1791

-- Elizabeth<sup>Amelia</sup> bp. 1.15.1795

James<sup>Amelia</sup> bp 3.2.1796

U.E. list & Supp -- nil

Long claim certificates -- nil

L. B. O.

James 1789 is a list of persons from Am. states &  
elsewhere who had been admitted by  
L. B. M. to land. 200ac

1. 7.29.89 Lot 19 conc. 3 Sydney.

" 5.23.98 Praying to be confirmed in a Ld. Bd.  
Certificate in the name of Thomas Jones, which  
he has purchased. The prayer of this  
petition is inadmissible.

St. Georges

nil

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Amarilla Hennessey mar. Rev. Sheldon Young  
(b. abt 1830) 1878  
Their dau., Mary E. Young, mar. Arthur W. Demorest (b. 1855)  
1862  
Their son. Jos. Sheldon Demorest - (b. abt 1883)

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Sons & Daus. of U.E.

Christeen, dau of Henry Simmons, U.E., of Sidney, married  
James Hennessey, of Ameliasburg. Ld. Bd. Cert 33/5 Sidney



